

COUNCIL CHAMBERS -- CITY COUNCIL  
CITY HALL -- CITY OF LODI

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1940

This regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi was called to order by the Mayor at 8:00 o'clock P.M. of April 17, 1940. Councilmen Bull, Graffigna, Riggs, Weihe and Steele present, none absent.

The minutes of the statutory meeting held April 15, 1940 were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

Mr. G. W. Duncan of Duncan-Jones Company addressed the Council in regard to the City's recent purchase of a pumping plant.

A letter was read from the A. F. Harrison Company relating to the business recently conducted by the late A. F. Harrison, Public Accountant and the same was referred to the Finance Committee.

The notice of the annual competition for sewage works plants was received from the California Sewage Works Association but at the suggestion of the City Engineer and on motion of Councilman Bull, seconded by Councilman Weihe, it was decided not to enter the city plant this year.

Carlos A. Purdy was permitted to install a pay telescope at Lake Park such installation to continue at the pleasure of the Board.

The application of John A. Miller for the position of caretaker at the stadium was read and ordered filed.

The City Engineer, Clinton Henning asked for an additional appropriation for the next three months amounting to \$1,110.00 to apply on stadium construction. On motion of Councilman Bull, seconded by Councilman Weihe, the application was granted and he was ordered to proceed with the work.

The Clerk read the proposal of the Gaither Lime & Fertilizer Company for the purchase of surplus sludge from the sewage disposal plant at \$1.00 per ton. The application was ordered submitted.

Three applications for business licenses No. 165, 166 and 167 were allowed and licenses ordered granted.

On motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by Councilman Riggs, the Clerk was directed to advertise for bids for a new pump under specifications to be prepared by the Superintendent of Public Utilities.

At the recommendation of the City Engineer, the Clerk was directed to advertise for a new chlorinator to be used at the sewage disposal plant. This was done on motion of Councilman Riggs, seconded by Councilman Weihe.

Mayor G. M. Steele addressed the Council in regards to the enforcement of the dog licensing ordinance and particularly that portion which prohibits licensed dogs from running at large in the City.

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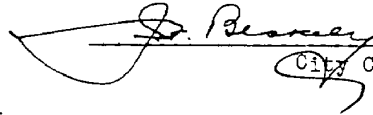
A letter was received from the Recreation Commission notifying the Council that Mr. Clifford B. Bull had resigned on account of his election to the City Council and on motion of Councilman Weihe, seconded by Councilman Graffigna and carried Mr. Wiley Jones was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Bull.

A discussion was held on the proposal of Mr. Kenneth L. Lobaugh that the City lease the old Salem School grounds for recreational purposes particularly for smaller children which was referred to the Committee on Parks for their recommendations at the next regular meeting.

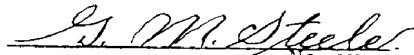
Mayor Steele stated that the Bethel Tabernacle had applied for permission to conduct a camp meeting ground at Lockeford and California Streets and the matter was ordered laid over until the next regular meeting in order that neighboring property owners might have a chance to voice their objections if any.

The Council was called into executive session at 10:17 o'clock P.M. returning to open session at 10:35 o'clock P.M. when adjournment was had on motion of Councilman Weihe.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk.

The foregoing minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi were read at a subsequent meeting of said City Council held May 1, 1940 and read without alteration or correction.

  
Mayor